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**REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)**

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a), applicants hereby request addition of George Barany and Robert P. Hammer as co-inventors of the above-identified patent application. At the time of filing the above-identified application, George Barany and Robert P. Hammer were erroneously omitted as inventors. As set forth in the attached Statement of George Barany and Statement of Robert Hammer, such error arose without deceptive intent on the part of George Barany and Robert P. Hammer.

This request is additionally accompanied by: (1) the written consent of original assignee Cornell Research Foundation, Inc., to the correction of inventorship; (2) a declaration by the actual inventors pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.63; and (3) the requisite fee of

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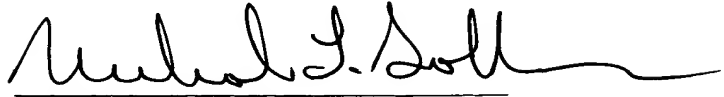
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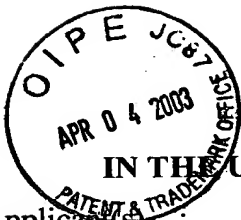
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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 (2 pages) and Appendix A (1 page) in the above-identified application. Also enclosed are:


- [X] Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Double Patenting Rejection Over a Prior Patent (2 pages), together with copies of Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment from Robert Hammer assigning to Board of Supervisors of Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, and Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment from George Barany assigning to Regents of the University of Minnesota, filed March 24, 2003 (6 pages).
- [X] Request for Correction of Inventorship Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a) (2 pages).
- [X] Statement of Richard S. Cahoon on Behalf of Cornell Research Foundation, Inc. (2 pages), together with copies of Notice of Assignment Recordation, Recordation Form Cover Sheet, and Assignment from Francis Barany and Matthew Lubin assigning to Cornell Research Foundation, Inc. (4 pages).
- [X] Statement of George Barany (1 page).
- [X] Statement of Robert P. Hammer (1 page).
- [X] Four Combined Declarations and Powers of Attorney (3 pages each; 12 pages total).
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